UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT **DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

SHAWN DRUMGOLD,)	
Plaintiff)	
)	
V.)	
)	04-CV-11193-NG
TIMOTHY CALLAHAN, FRANCIS)	
M. ROACHE, RICHARD WALSH and)	
THE CITY OF BOSTON,)	
Defendants)	
)	

DEFENDANTS FRANCIS M. ROACHE AND THE CITY OF BOSTON'S MOTION TO BIFURCATE TRIAL

NOW COME DEFENDANTS the City of Boston and Francis M. Roache, parties in the above-entitled civil action through their counsel pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 42(b) and respectfully request this Honorable Court "in furtherance of convenience or to avoid prejudice, or when separate trials will be conducive to expedition and economy" order a separate trial of the Plaintiff's claims against the City of Boston and Francis M. Roache.

In support of the motion, the defendants have filed the accompanying memorandum.

Respectfully submitted, By Defendants City of Boston and Francis M. Roache Through their attorneys,

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Date: January 7, 2008

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, John P. Roache, hereby certify that on January 7, 2008, I served a copy of the above upon counsel of record by filing with the ECF/Pacer Case Management System.

/s/ John P. Roache
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